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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PORG, CY

SUBJECT: GALINDO POHL PUT FORWARD AS SYG'S SPECIAL

REPRESENTATIVE ON CYPRUS

1. DURING COURSE OF CONVERSATION BETWEEN AMBASSADOR-  
DESIGNATE STONE AND UNDER SECRETARY GENERAL URQUHART ON  
MARCH 2, LATTER MENTIONED THAT REINALDO GALINDO POHL IS  
NOW THE FRONT CONTENDER TO REPLACE PEREZ DE CUELLAR AS  
THE SYG'S SPECIAL REPRESENTATIVE ON CYPRUS. GALINDO  
POHL, NOW WORKING AS DIRECTOR OF LEGAL DIVISION OF OAS,  
SERVED AS PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVE OF EL SALVADOR TO THE  
UNITED NATIONS FOR MANY YEARS AND EARNED SOLID REPUTA-  
TION. URQUHART SEEMED PLEASED WITH GALINDO POHL'S  
CANDIDACY. HE NOTED THAT THE UN HOPES TO HEAR  
DEFINITELY ON GALINDO POHL'S ACCEPTANCE IN THE NEAR  
FUTURE.

2. TURNING TO INTERCOMMUNAL TALKS, URQUHART SAID THAT  
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THE SECRETARY-GENERAL WILL CONTINUE TO EXERT HIS BEST  
EFFORTS TO NARROW THE GAP BETWEEN THE PARTIES. URQUHART  
COMMENTED THAT THE PRESENT INTERLOCUTOR LINE-UP, ONAN/  
PAPADOPOULOS, IS A HOPELESS COMBINATION. HE EMPHASIZED  
THAT THE ESSENTIAL POINT IN THE TALKS IS TO AVOID A  
STALLING SITUATION SUCH AS OCCURRED AT THE LAST VIENNA  
ROUND WHEN NEITHER SIDE ACTED AS IF THEY HAD INSTRUCTIONS

AND SEEMED TO TAKE CARE NOT TO GET THEM. URQUHART ADDED THAT DESPITE THE MOST RECENT TURKISH SUGGESTION THAT THE SYG BE INFORMED ORALLY OF THE GENERAL OUTLINE OF THE TURKISH PROPOSALS, WALDHEIM CONTINUES TO HOLD TO THE PREVIOUSLY AGREED PROCEDURE. URQUHART NOTED THAT THE SYG'S MOVES WILL OF COURSE DEPEND ON THE CONTENT OF THE PROPOSALS.

3. URQUHART CONCLUDED BY OBSERVING THAT PM ECEVIT APPEARED SINCERE IN HIS PLEDGE TO PRODUCE GOOD PROPOSALS. CARAMANLIS' REQUEST THAT THE PROPOSALS NOT BE SENT FORWARD UNTIL AFTER THE LUGANO MEETING BETWEEN THE TWO PREMIERS COULD BE MOTIVATED BY CARAMANLIS' HOPE TO UPGRADE THE PROPOSALS THROUGH HIS DISCUSSIONS WITH ECEVIT OR AT LEAST NOT TO BE EMBARRASSED SHOULD THE PROPOSALS SEEM INSUFFICIENT. YOUNG

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